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Applicant : Yasuyuki Tanaka, et al.

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.121(a)**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 21, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this Amendment.